

MINE GUARD KILLED IN STRIKE BATTLE

Hot Fights During Day Mark
Advent of Martial Law
in District.

CHILDREN AMONG INJURED

Militiamen From Trinidad Late
in Afternoon Take Charge
of Situation.

Berwind, Col., October 28.—Three battles, the hottest fought since the strike of coal miners in Southern Colorado began, to-day marked the advent of martial law in this district. One mine guard killed, four union men wounded, two seriously; two children of nonunion men shot; one mine guard missing and a county marshal wounded were the casualties of three fights—on here, one at Tabasco and the other at Hastings.

The most serious fighting took place at Hastings, where the mine guard was killed and the strikers wounded. The mine camp had been hemmed in on two sides by the strikers, who climbed the steep hills of either side of the canyon during the night and at day-break began shooting into the camp. Mine officials just before notified that Marshal Robinson, with deputies, was on his way to the mine camps, and when the fighting started they made a rush out of the stockade in an attempt to locate the marshal's party. Not more than twenty-five guards were defending Hastings when the miners attacked them, and for almost an hour the battle waged in the hills surrounding the mine. Then the strikers, who numbered approximately 200 men, succeeded in driving the guards slowly back to the mine.

Guard Is Killed.
While fighting outside the stockade Guard Alexander was killed. Alexander had shot a Greek striker through the leg when another Greek fired a bullet through Alexander's head.

At Tabasco, the two children were the only injured, but it was from this fight that the guard was reported missing. About 100 strikers were engaged by an equal number of the mine guards. While the battle was at its height, strikers dropped a tin bucket full of black powder with a lighted fuse attached into the canyon at a place calculated to land it against one of the frame buildings of the camp. Water from falling snow had gathered at the point where the bucket landed, and the fuse was extinguished.

About this time the mine guards reached the top of the opposite embankment and began to operate their machine gun, guided by a searchlight beam. Guards from Berwind hurried to the aid of those at Tabasco, and the strikers deployed along the hill to this camp after firing from the machine gun began.

Here the battle was renewed and continued until 5 o'clock. Late this afternoon militiamen from Trinidad reached the camps in this territory, and by virtue of martial government, closed every saloon in the three camps. No attempt was made to disarm the guards.

Strikers late to-day could be seen in the hills within rifle range of the three camps, and all were heavily armed.

All Day Battle in Coal Fields.
Trinidad, Col., October 28.—With a state of insurrection declared and State troops on the way to the scene of the battle, the battle between mine guards and striking miners of the Southern Colorado coal fields was waged from daylight until 3:30 o'clock to-night, in Berwind and Hastings canyons and the hills adjacent.

Angus Alexander, a Hastings guard, was killed and seven were wounded, including two children, at Tabasco. Marshall Clinton Robinson, at Hastings, was shot in the foot, and four strikers were wounded, two seriously, but their names are not available.

The town of Hastings is terrorized. Women and children are congregated in the power-house and bedding and food have been taken there by mine guards. The town is said to be ridged with bullets, as a result of today's bombardment, and similar reports are received from the camps of Delagua and Tabasco.

Telephonic communication with the camps in the Ludlow district late to-day was restored.

Martial Law to Be Enforced.

Denver, Colo., October 28.—Mobilized in approximately six hours, the command of the Colorado National Guard to-day began moving toward the Southern Colorado fields, where martial law will be established. Telephone advice from Sheriff J. S. Griswold, at Trinidad, to the governor's office, stated that a large force of Guardsmen started at 6 o'clock this morning for the coal camps at Tabasco, Berwind, Hastings and Delagua, announcing that they would attempt to take the camps and, if successful, would hold them against the State troops.

While ordering of troops to the coal field followed the failure of Governor Ammons' efforts to arrange a settlement, an additional reason for the action to-day was found in the list of casualties and property damage that have marked the thirty-five days of the strike. These strike incidents were summarized as follows:

Battle and skirmishes, 18.
Killed, 28.
Wounded, 41.
Personal assaults, 6.
Buildings and bridges wrecked or damaged by dynamite, 11.

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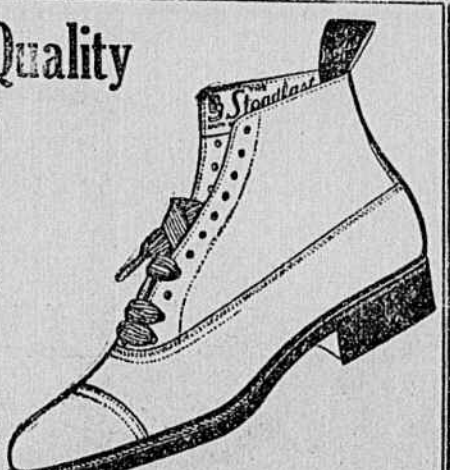
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LAW TO PROTECT HONEST PROMOTER

Will Be Urged on National Convention of Investment Bankers of America.

Chicago, Ill., October 28.—Recommendations that the Investment Bankers' Association of America interest itself in getting a uniform law regulating securities that will protect the honest promoter and punish the dishonest tomorrow will be made to the national convention of the association by the legislative committee, according to its chairman, A. E. Hoyt, of New York.

The committee also will recommend that members of the association interest themselves in the States and take an active part in obtaining legislation which will prevent the issuance of dishonest securities by a responsible and dishonorable promoter.

The committee on public service corporations will recommend that all possible means be used to have public service commissions taken out of politics, according to Committee Chairman George W. Kendrick, of Philadelphia.

Discussion of the income tax law, which will become operative Friday, and the effect of proposed currency legislation and the recently enacted tariff measure to-day, was begun at the opening session of the convention.

Among those who will address the bankers are James J. Hill, of St. Paul; Frank A. Vanderlip, of New York; Geo. W. Kendrick, Ill., of Philadelphia; John E. Oldham, of Boston; and Edmund D. Fisher, of New York.

Special trains, one bearing bankers from New York and Philadelphia, and the other from the Pacific Coast, arrived to-day in time for the opening session. Delegates from banks in Montreal, Toronto and Nova Scotia also were in attendance.

According to George B. Caldwell, of Chicago, president of the association, the income tax law was discussed only in an impromptu way.

CONFESSION NOT CREDITED.

Reformatory Inmate Poses as Murderer of Texas Woman.

Louisville, Ky., October 28.—Superintendent Heston, of the Jeffersonville, Ind., reformatory, gave out a statement here to-day to the effect that Meade Barr, who was sentenced from Marion County, Ind., in 1902 for the murder of Florence Brown in a Dallas, Texas, office building last July.

Major Heston stated that the reformatory officials inquiry into Barr's story had not entirely satisfied them of his mental responsibility, and that they were inclined to turn him over to Texas authorities so that a complete investigation could be made.

Wants to Get to Dallas.

Dallas, Texas, October 28.—Chief of Police John Ryan, when told of the Barr confession to-day, said:

"I went to Jeffersonville and heard Meade Barr tell his story of how he killed Florence Brown. I am satisfied that he could not have been the girl's murderer. He is anxious to be brought to Dallas, where he knows we could prove nothing on him and would be forced to release him."

NEW TARIFF LAW CONSTRUED.

Ruling Concerning Admission of Wheat and Wheat Flour.

Washington, October 28.—Wheat and wheat flour will not be admitted free to the United States from those countries which decline to admit free of duty similar products from the United States. This ruling has been made by Assistant Secretary Hamlin, of the Treasury Department, who construes the new tariff law as presenting this decision.

Customs collectors have been advised of the interpretation, and each collector was advised that the countries now admitting American wheat and wheat flour, without duty were Great Britain, Finland and The Netherlands.

In the decision Mr. Hamlin announced that if any foreign country put a tax upon any one of the three articles of wheat, wheat flour and semolina, that country would be placed on the list of countries upon that one of the three, but upon all three articles coming from that country.

NEW PETITION IN THAW CASE

New York State Alleges Conspiracy in Escape from Matteawan.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Conceded by the State, a new petition for the extradition of Harry Thaw was filed this afternoon in the office of the Secretary of State by Bernard Jacobs, representative of the State of New York in New Hampshire. The petition alleges conspiracy in the escape from Matteawan. It is signed by Governor Glynn, who directs if the petition is granted that Thaw be turned over to the custody of Fred C. Hornbeck, of Dutchess County.

Attached to the petition is a statement by Attorney-General Carmody, giving the reasons why the return of Thaw is desirable, and a certified copy of the indictment and affidavits relating to the escape from Matteawan.

CONDEMNNS KIEFF TRIAL

English Novelist Believes Case Is Foregoing Conviction in Berlin.

[Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

London, October 28.—Anthony Hope Hawkins, the famous English novelist, in condemning the "trial murder" trial at Vieux, to-day said:

"The enlightened Christian world protests against the foolish blood accusation. I am inclined to give credence to the reports that a German is forcing the conviction of the unfortunate man, even though everybody knows he is innocent. I sincerely hope the disapproval proceedings, both in America and Europe, will have the effect of modifying Russia's attitude, and that the public opinion which kept Tolstoy out of Siberia may have the same effect in the Berlin case."

ADVERTISES FOR WIFE

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Denver, Col., October 28.—"Wanted, a young woman, twenty-five to thirty years old, willing to enter an eugenic marriage contract. Good looks, perfect health and good disposition only requirements. Address Paul H. Hunter, Secretary State Board of Health."

This advertisement will be inserted in the Denver papers by Dr. Hunter if necessary to secure a partner, for which a wife, he believes, will be a help to science.

WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

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Seattle, October 28.—Wireless communication between America and Asia as a commercial proposition has been established. Announcement was made to-day that a Russian government messenger, Y. Petersburg to Commander Wilkinky, director of a large body of land in the Arctic, has been transmitted to-day from the United States army signal corp station at Nome, Alaska, to the Russian government station at Anadyra, Siberia.

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CHARLES G. GATES EXPIRES SUDDENLY

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for about a year and a half. Mr. Gates left the latter part of August for a hunting trip in Wyoming. He expected to return here some time this week.

With Mr. Gates left for the West, Mrs. Gates went to New York, where she was stopping with her husband's mother, Mrs. John W. Gates.

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to grant to the City Council the right, at any time it saw fit, to order such consolidation by ordinance. Such an amendment to the charter, he recommended, would obviate the necessity of putting consolidation into effect immediately, and would enable the Council to order it when the proper time arrived.

Chief of Police Werner reported that his department lived amicably with the Administrative Board, and that there was no charter change that he could suggest. He thought well of Councilman Mills's suggestion that the Legislature be asked to give the Police Department jurisdiction over territory two miles from the city limits, instead of just one mile, which is the present regulation.

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LOVE CAUSE OF DOWNFALL

Cashier, Who Embezzled \$55,000, Arrested in Brooklyn.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

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"I'm tired of it all and quite ready to go to a cell, where I won't have to dodge detectives," Schildknacht said. He described his trip in detail to the detectives who caught him, giving his love for Elsie McMillan as the cause of his downfall.

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Davis on Bacteria.

Superintendent Davis, of the Water Department, desired no charter change, and declared that the Administrative Board and his department labored together like clockwork. Questioned as to reported friction between his department and the Board of Health, Mr. Davis told the committee that he knew of no such difficulty.

"Do you still keep that hypochlorite box in the Settling Basin, Mr. Davis?" asked Councilman Haddon.

Mr. Davis replied in the affirmative.

"Where the box being there?" demanded Councilman Mills.

"Killing bacteria," Mr. Davis replied.

"Have you any evidence that it's killing bacteria, Mr. Davis?" asked Mr. Mills.

"Only hearsay evidence," answered Mr. Davis, while the conference forgot its gravity and broke out into a roar of laughter.

Claims of Injured Employees.

Superintendent Cohn, of the Street Cleaning Department, praised the Administrative Board highly for the economy it has introduced in the transmutation of municipal business, and told the committee that his department's relations with it was most pleasant. He recommended only one change, namely, that the board be clothed with authority to adjust all claims for time lost on account of injuries received by per diem city employees while in the discharge of their duties. The City Attorney said that such a power could be conferred upon the board by a city ordinance, and that it did not require a charter change.

A statement was reported from the Finance Committee calling attention to State Auditor Moore's proposed tax segregation scheme, which, if carried out, will mean a loss to the city of Richmond of \$40,000. The Finance Committee, it set forth, has appointed a special subcommittee to confer with the Charter Changes Committee, with the idea of opposing the plan. The committee voted to request the Finance Committee on Finance to meet with it on November 14.

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